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Governor Hagerman's veto power may prove a pretty good club after

The Pecos Valley Democratic Triumvirate, Cameron, Mullias and Hudspeth, will not be lost in the shuffle.

Mr. Bursum evidently has read the handwriting on the wall, and decided not to butt-until he sees a weaker spot in the wall.

Republicans as well as Democrats in the Pecos Valley are opposed to county division. It is not a party question, but a question of good business sense and economy.

Hon. J. O. Cameron, of Carlsbad seems to have solved the county division problem by the proposition to time the Artesia Advocate and the postpone its consideration until other

Now that Col. Catron has withdrawn his contest "in the interest of harmony," there is another Colonel who has a fine opening to increase the harmony by resigning a few of his offices.

The Pecos Valley Democrats in the legislature will prove leaders of the reform movement. They have the ability, and there is a growing suspicion at Santa Fe that their influence with the Governor is as great as the influence of any Republican members of equal ability.

Purely on its merits as a general proposition it is right that district attorneys should be elected by the people-but the purpose of the legislature in taking the appointive power away from the Governor at the present time is to protect the old gang of grafters.

support, but later on became as silent as the tomb.

The senate has "compromised" in the Brownsville matter by agreeing not to question the President's right in discharging the negro soldiers. This arrangement is satisfactory to everyone excepting Senator Foraker, whom it leaves suspended in midair.—Kansas City Times.

The Las Vegas Optic thinks that had the public printing been done in some office other than that of the Santa Fe New Mexican, it would not have occurred to Governor Hagerman that there was any graft in it. Possibly that is true, for any other printing plant in the Territory would be willing to do the work at half the

Hagerman, Penasco, Lake Arthur and the Plains, the precincts directly interested, are practically unanimous in opposition to going into any new county. Why shouldn't we help these people when they want to stay with us? Every citizen of Roswell should step into the fight and oppose county

Col. Frost, of the New Mexican, insists that the Governor's message "never touched him"—that he has advocated every valuable recommendation in it for years—and that the "errors" are the results of misinformation, on account of the Governor having been too busy to investigate. In other words, the Colonel insignates that the message is second-hand, stolen partly from the files of the New Mexican, and partly dictated by base and malicious persons unknown.

The legislature is overwhelmingly Republican, and we must recognize the fact that whatever good legislation is accomplished will come to us mainly through the Republican party and the influence of Governor Hagerman. But by lining up on desirable measures with those Republicans who stand for a clean business administration of Territorial affairs, the Democratic members may win many rictories, even if they do not get the redit immediately. Good government what the people want—not merely, partisan monkeydoodle business.

Hon. Chas. A. Spiess, in his address of acceptance as President of the Territorial Council strongly emphasized two points, the prohibition of licensed gambling, and help for

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the public schools. The Record is glad indeed to see Mr. Spiess take this position, and the people are with him. The two ideas are somewhat related. To prohibit gambling helps the public school more than any one thing, for it is granted and beyond dispute that it is a burning shame upon New Mexico that her public schools are partly maintained by gambling money. But outside of the moral side of the question, to prohibit gambling has proven a success from a business standpoint wherever tried. How can any non-producing element be a benefit to a community?

The New Mexican now claims to have been the first newspaper in the 11-24. Territory to take up the fight against licensed gambling. The Record re-calls that the New Mexican once did publish a few clippings against gambling-and then dropped the subject very suddenly, after the Albuquerque Advertiser and the Santa Fe Eagle had exposed its hand. About the same Daily Record were engaged in a cambusiness of real importance is finished paign against gambling-and the result was that it has long ago been abolished in both Roswell and Artesia. Other papers in the Valley have continued to fight the evil, and Carlsbad eventually will drive it out, even anti-gambling law. It is results that count. It is not the one who fires the first shot, but the one who keeps on fighting until the tiger is dead that wins the pelt. Since the New Mexican has been fighting licensed gambling so long, the only inference we can draw is that the paper has very little influence in its own town.

> VERDICT FOR THE ROSWELL MINISTER.

Dismissing the matter of etales, which to discuss would be "obiter dicta," so far as the judgment of the "Parson" goes, the argument of Rev. Edwin Emerson Davis against Christian Science remains unanswered, and Brayer.-Oriental. we hereby declare the case closed and direct the jury to bring in a ver-dict for the minister in thirty counts. We note with pleasure that the The article printed in yesterday's pacity property of all kinds. See us be-Santa Fe New Mexican has again per was written under the direction fore you buy.-Carlton & Bell. come out against gambling. A year of the Publication Committee of the or more ago, when this issue was a burning one in Roswell, the New ton. Mass. It is, presumably, the strongest answer that could be ten by any lesser personage than Mrs. Eddy herself, and yet as evidence or argument seems to be "incompetent, irrelevant and immaterial. We are aware that many great scientists have held that matter is un knowable-but unlike Mrs. Eddy, they do not deay the existence of matter. Neither do they pretend to understand the ways of God which are past finding out.

Since the Boston advocate refers to Spencer as authority, we quote Spencer's "First Principles," Section 52: "Could it be shown, or could it with any rationality be even supposed, that matter, either in its aggregates or in its units, ever be came non-existent, there would be need either to ascertain under what conditions it became non-existent, or else to confess that Science and Philosophy are impossible."

Transfers of Real Estate.

The following deeds have been filed for record in the office of Probate Clerk and Recorder F. P. Gayle:

Flora J. White and husband to Jno. C. Venable, for \$690, ten acres in 13-11-23 and ten shares of stock in the Rio Hondo Reservoir Water Users' Association.

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The Lake Arthur Townsite Co., to Abel T. Jones, for \$200, lots 1 to tages ranging in prices from

12. faclusive, block 79, Lake Arthur. Wm. Fenimore and wife to Zenas Leonard, for \$6,500, the south half of any thing in this line list it with block 54, South Roswell and a half

interest in a windmill pumping plant. Zenas Leonard to Wm. Fenimore, for \$11,200 a tract of 640 acres in sections 5, 6, 7, and 8 township 12 Range R. H. McCUNE, 23 and 240 shares in the Rio Hondo Reservoir Water Users' Association.

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11 block 25 Urton. Wm. S. Prager and wife to Lewis & Wells for \$3,000, the north half of lot 11 and south half of lot 12, block 6. Thurber's addition to Roswell.

Ella Lea Bedell and husband to W T. Wells, for \$400, lots 8 and 10, block 7 Thurber's addition to Roswell. W. W. Ogle and wife to Wm. H.

Rhodes, for \$50, water right. The South Spring Ranca & Cattle Company to Joseph H. Walker, for \$7,535.85, a tract of 215.31 acres in 12-

Henry C. Barron and wife to Nancy Tressler, for \$300, lot 4 Shadeland addition to Hagerman.

Archippi Seargeant and husband to J. W. Atkinson for \$650, the south half of lot 2 and all of lot 3, block 17 West side addition to Roswell and wa ter right thereto.

Weatherston Greer and wife to Jas. W. Greer and wife, for \$450 twenty acres in 8 14 26 and water right out of the Northern Canal.

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